

0920Z 19 APR 65

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DIRECTOR

25X1A

ROUTINE

TOR: 1003Z 19 APR 65
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1. MSN 0215C PENETRATED DENIED TERRITORY WITH INOPERATIVE

THE ACFT SSB HIGH VOLTAGE POWER SUPPLY FAILED WHICH CAUSED [REDACTED] TO BE INOPERATIVE. THIS MSN PLANNED FOR LONG DISTANCE OVER WATER PRIOR TO PENETRATION. TWENTY MINUTES AFTER TAKE OFF DRIVER WAS GIVEN PERMISSION TO PROCEED. DRIVER WAS INSTRUCTED DURING MSN BRIEFING BY [REDACTED] OPS OFFICER TO ABORT FOR [REDACTED] MALFUNCTION.

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DET COMDR DECIDED NOT TO ATTEMPT CONTACT ON SSB.

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2. PROJECT DIRECTIVE 5B-1055-25 DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR SITUATION OF THIS TYPE. SUGGEST GO AHEAD POINT BE CHANGED TO POSITION CLOSE TO PENETRATION OR A SECOND GO AHEAD POSITION BE DESIGNATED FOR MSNS REQUIRING LONG DISTANCE PRIOR TO PENETRATION. PLEASE ADVISE.

END OF MSG

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